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night and Friday. Frost to-  
night if the weather clears.

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## IRELAND UNDER MARTIAL LAW

### STREET FIGHTING NOW ENGAGED IN

Rebels Continue to Hold Important Public Meetings in the City of Dublin.

MOVEMENT IS SPREADING  
Searching Investigation into the Cause of the Outbreak Will Be Made.

LONDON, April 27.—Martial law has been declared throughout all Ireland.

Fighting is still going on in the streets of Dublin.

Premier announced in the House of Commons Thursday that the rebels continue to hold important public buildings in Dublin and that street encounters were still in progress.

The premier told the House the Irish situation still presented serious features and that there were indications of a spread of the movement to other parts of Ireland, especially in the West.

He announced that Major General Sir John Maxwell, who formerly commanded the British forces in Egypt, was leaving Thursday afternoon for Ireland.

The general has been given plenary powers under martial law over the whole country.

The premier said there would be a searching investigation into the cause of any responsibility of the outbreak. He added that it was obviously necessary to exercise military censorship while martial law prevailed in Ireland.

This censorship, however, would be directed merely with regard to the essential military requirements of the situation. All possible latitude in the transmission of news would be allowed.

Sir Edward Carson and John Redmond, who were the leaders of the opposing factions in the Irish home rule controversy, expressed in the House of Commons their abhorrence of the uprising and their desire to support the government.

The troops in Ireland have been and are being strongly re-enforced. Mr. Asquith added, and the government was satisfied the force despatched was adequate to deal with the situation.

The Irish authorities will place themselves at the disposal of Major General Maxwell to carry out his instructions.

WEAK EFFORTS  
Are Made by Germans at Verdun According to the Reports Sent from Paris.

PARIS, April 27.—French positions before Verdun were bombarded heavily Wednesday night, but the Germans made no strong infantry attacks. A small assault north of Fort Vaux was stopped immediately by French artillery, the war office announced Thursday.

Several German patrols were encountered north of the Aisne and were repulsed in fighting with hand grenades. A German reconnoitering party, west of Lo Meunil, was dispersed. A German aeroplane was brought down in Spincourt wood by a French pilot.

HEART DISEASE  
Causes Death of Mrs. Margaret Hanger after a Linger- ing Illness.

Mrs. Margaret Hanger, aged 66 years, one of the best known and most popular colored women of the city, died at 6:45 o'clock Wednesday evening at her home in Glen Elk No. 2, following a long illness of heart disease.

Mrs. Hanger had a severe attack of la grippe in January and following this heart disease developed and the disease ever since.

The funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Hanger home, the Rev. W. T. Kenney, pastor of the Mt. Zion Baptist church conducting the service. Burial will be in a local cemetery.

Mrs. Hanger was born at Staunton, Va., in 1850. When 19 years old she came to this city with her brother and had since resided here. When a young girl, she was converted and joined the Mt. Zion Baptist church.

Surviving relatives of the deceased woman are Frank Hanger and Roscoe Hanger, sons, and Mrs. Edward Hanger Ogden, a daughter. Margaret and Harry Ogden, grand children, also survive.

BACK TO WORK.  
NEW YORK, April 27.—The 24,000 bituminous coal miners on strike in district No. 5 in Pennsylvania will go back to work Friday morning under an agreement reached here Thursday between John P. White for the coal miners and W. K. Fields of the Pittsburgh Coal Company and other operators.

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THOUSANDS OF SCHOOLS TO OBSERVE NATIONAL BIRD DAY MAY 5



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### DEEPLY LAID PLOT TO "POISON" MINDS

Of Citizens All over the Country That Wilson Wants War, Says Hustings.

AN EMBARGO IS SOUGHT  
Senator Wants Senders of Telegrams to Congress Rebuked and Punished.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—Senator Hustings, Democrat, told the Senate Thursday that the American Embargo Conference had conducted a campaign in Wisconsin to induce him to support an embargo resolution against shipments of war munitions to Europe. He submitted 1,000 letters from Wisconsin citizens, which, he said, all emanated from the Chicago headquarters of this organization.

Senator Hustings said that thousands of telegrams deluging Congress charging the president with seeking war with Germany emanated from the embargo conference. He declared there was a "deeply laid plot to poison the minds of the citizens all over the country with the thought that the president wants war when every fact gives the lie to such an assertion."

"I think the government should follow these messages to their poisonous source," continued Senator Hustings. "It must be plain to every one that if this war continues for a year or so and if these instances continue there can be only one end."

"I hope I may never have to vote for a declaration of war. It is only a question of how we are going to keep peace. Are we going to have peace by letting a business of this kind continue unrebuked and unpunished?"

Senator Works, Republican, said he had received many telegrams from California, but he felt the subject should be left to the president. He asserted that the situation was "extremely delicate and solemn."

SENATOR HUSTINGS  
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